is a peptide competitively binding to the monoclonal antibody and having an amino acid sequence Ser- Asn- Lys- Glu- Gln- Glu- Pro- Lys- Glu- Lys- Lys- Lys- Lys- Lys (SEQ ID NO:1). This combination is also usable in the present invention.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 42, line 1, with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0071] In this process with the use of the binding of Strep-tag to streptavidin, use is made as the Strep-tag, for example, Ala-Trp-Arg-His-Pro-Gln-Phe-Gly-Gly (SEQ ID NO:2) or Asn-Trp-Ser-His-Pro-Gln-Phe-Glu-Lys (Strep-tag II )(SEQ ID NO:3). A Strep-tagged protein such as DHFR (dihydrofolate reductase) is synthesized in a cell-free system. Then it is purified by adsorbing by fixed streptavidin or Strep Tactin. As an eluent, desthiobiotin is employed.

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 71, line 21, with the following rewritten paragraph:

[0108] To obtain a template for MFL mRNA AUGUUCUUGUAA (SEQ ID NO:4), a DNA sequence (translated into fMet-Phe-Leu-Stop; formylmethionine-phenylalanine-leucine-stop codon; hereinafter referred to simply as MFL) was constructed as follows. An oligonucleotide A: 5'-Tatgttcttgtaac (SEQ ID NO:5) was annealed with another oligonucleotide B: 5'-TCGAgttacaagaaca (SEQ ID NO:6) to give a double-stranded DNA containing NdeI and XhoI sequences. Next, this DNA was cloned into the NdeI and XhoI sites of a plasmid vector pET29a (Novagen). The resultant plasmid transcribed as in the above-described case of DHFR gene.

Please insert the Sequence Listing enclosed herewith immediately after the abstract.

## REMARKS

Enclosed herewith in full compliance with 37 C.F.R. §§1.821-1.825 is a Sequence Listing to be inserted into the specification as indicated above. The Sequence Listing in no way introduces new matter into the specification. Also submitted herewith in full compliance with 37 C.F.R.